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Application Granted.

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The Honorable John Gleason
 United States District Court Judge
 Eastern District of New York
 225 Cadman Plaza East
 Brooklyn, New York, 11201

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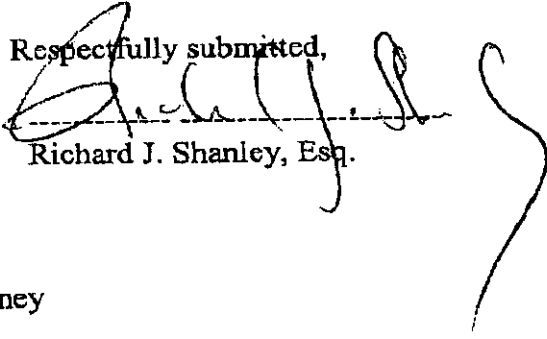
Re: Status Conference, USA v. Azat Oganessian et al, Docket No. 04-0741 (S-2) (JG)

Dear Judge Gleason:

I am assigned counsel to defendant Zygmunt Trznadel. I had been informed through my Polish interpreter, that subsequent to the last court appearance, my client was hospitalized with injuries from a job-related fall, which rendered him unconscious for several hours. He remains incapacitated and is in severe pain. I am requesting that my client be excused from the status conference scheduled for 11 AM on Friday, May 19, 2006.

The Government has no objections to this request. The defendant has made all prior appearances.

Respectfully submitted,


 Richard J. Shanley, Esq.

cc: E. Scott Morvillo, Assistant U.S. Attorney